

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE DIVISION[645]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 147.76, the Board of Dietetics hereby amends Chapter 81, “Licensure of Dietitians,” Chapter 82, “Continuing Education for Dietitians,” and Chapter 83, “Discipline for Dietitians,” Iowa Administrative Code.

These amendments add definitions of “consultation” and “supervision of nonlicensees”; clarify the requirements for submitting documents to verify that licensure requirements are met; establish new requirements for degree evaluation of foreign-trained dietitians; clarify acceptance of supervised practice experience for licensure; provide to license applicants who hold licensure in other states alternate forms of verification of passing the national examination; rescind the requirement for mailing a renewal notice that is outdated given the current online renewal system; add a definition of “webinar” applicable to continuing education; provide clarification for obtaining hours of continuing education; remove the audit language for continuing education programs and activities submitted in accordance with professional development portfolios for American Dietetic Association/Commission on Dietetic Registration (ADA/CDR) certification; and adopt the ADA/CDR Code of Ethics for the Profession of Dietetics and Process for Consideration of Ethics Issues, as revised January 1, 2010.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on March 9, 2011, as **ARC 9426B**. A public hearing was held on March 29, 2011, in the Fifth Floor Board Conference Room, Lucas State Office Building. No public comments were received. One change was made to correct an error in the proposed amendments. In Item 9, the item statement has been changed to amend rule 645—82.1(152A), definitions, rather than rule 645—81.2(152A).

These amendments will become effective August 17, 2011.

These amendments are intended to implement Iowa Code chapters 21, 147, 152A and 272C.

EDITOR’S NOTE: Pursuant to recommendation of the Administrative Rules Review Committee published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin, September 10, 1986, the text of these amendments [amendments to Chs 81 to 83] is being omitted. With the exception of the change noted above, these amendments are identical to those published under Notice as **ARC 9426B**, IAB 3/9/11.

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